# C-44 Reservoir/Stormwater Treatment Area (STA) Project

## WRAC Issues Workshop

August 7, 2006





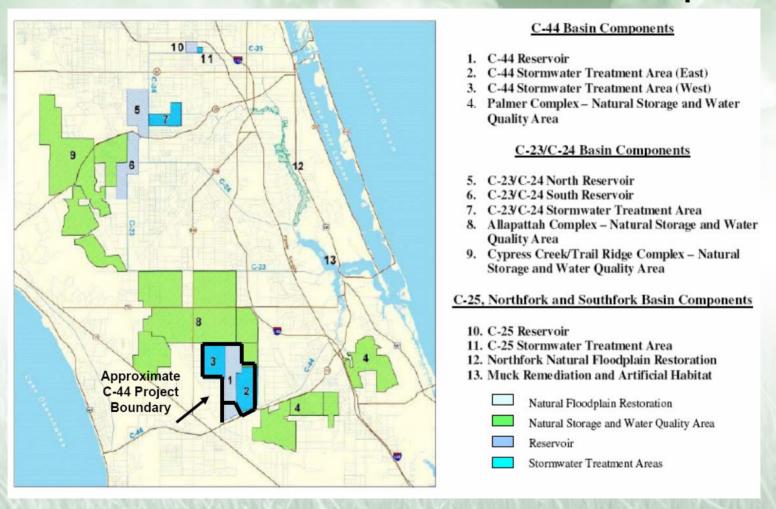
# Indian River Lagoon (IRL): Estuary of National Significance

- 156 miles in Length
- Within 6 Florida
   Counties and Two
   Water Management
   Districts
- 5 Ocean Inlets
- Water Quantity, Quality, Timing, and Distribution Issues





#### IRL-S PIR Recommended Plan Components



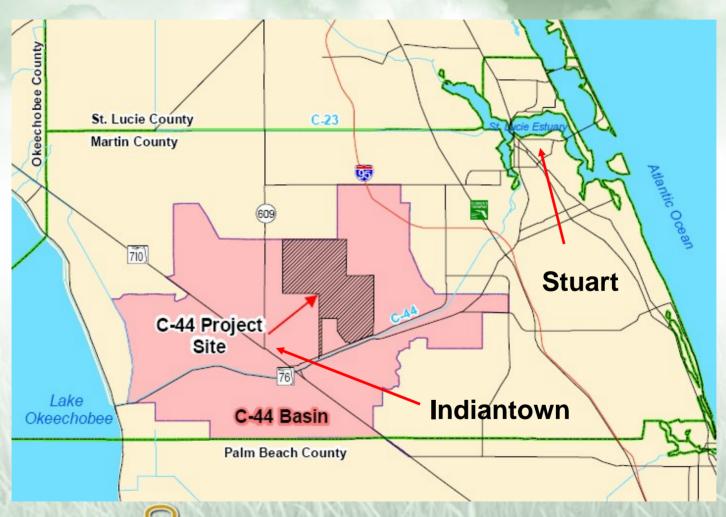


# C-44 Reservoir/STA PIR Goals

- Reduce C-44 Basin Runoff Peaks to the St. Lucie Estuary
- Reduce Nutrient Loads From C-44 Basin Runoff to the St. Lucie Estuary

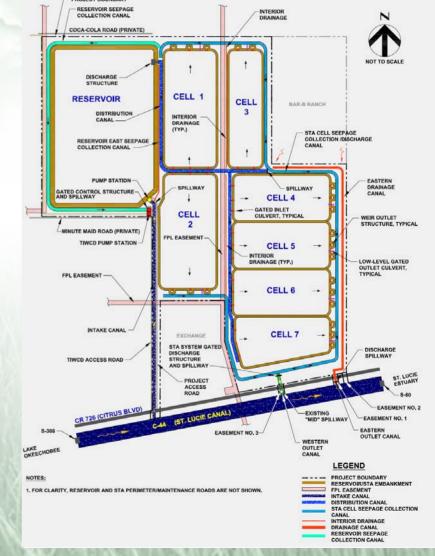


#### C-44 Reservoir/STA Project Location



C-44 Reservoir/STA Proposed Configuration

- 12,000 Acre Site
  - Reservoir 3,400 Acres
  - STA Cells 6,300 Acres





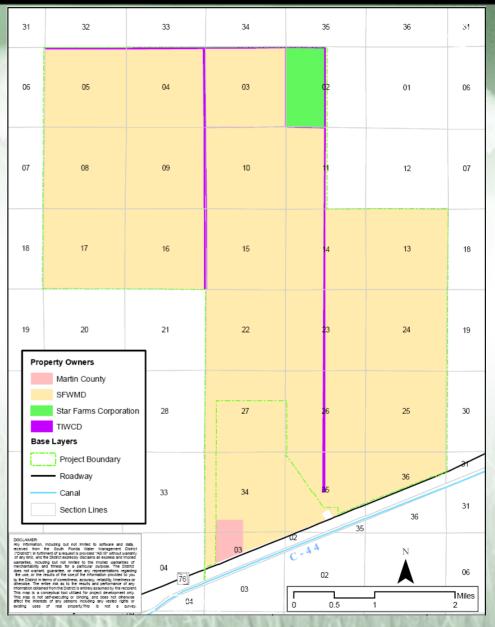
## Site Ownership

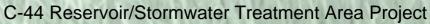
- 12,000 Acres (Closed January 31, 2006)
- 640 Acres (Closed May 31, 2006)
- 300 Acres (Planned Closing August 2006)
- Exchange Planned for September/October 2006 of approximately 1,100 Acres
- Approximately 160 Acres of Troup Indiantown Water Control District (TIWCD) Land Awaiting Negotiation



# Project Ownership

- Currently Owned by SFWMD
- Other Negotiations
   Pending







#### **Current Land Use**

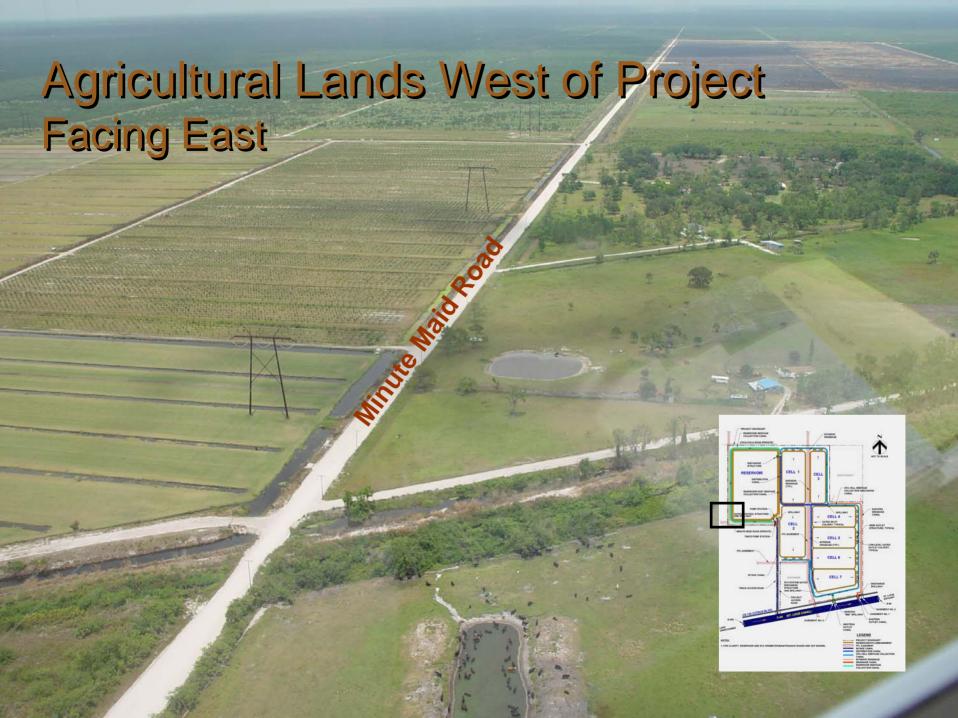
- 12,000 Acres in Active Citrus Grove
   Operation until June 2007
- Approximately 300 Acres in Active Sod Operation until July 2008



## Adjacent Land Use

- North Allapattah Complex
- West Agriculture and Airport
- East Agriculture
- South Citrus Boulevard and C-44 Canal







# Citrus Blvd/C-44 Canal South of Project Facing Northwest

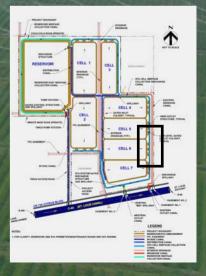
CITRUS BLVD.
TIWCD Irrigation Canal

C-44 Canal



# Agricultural Lands East of Project Facing Northwest

Project Eastern Boundar



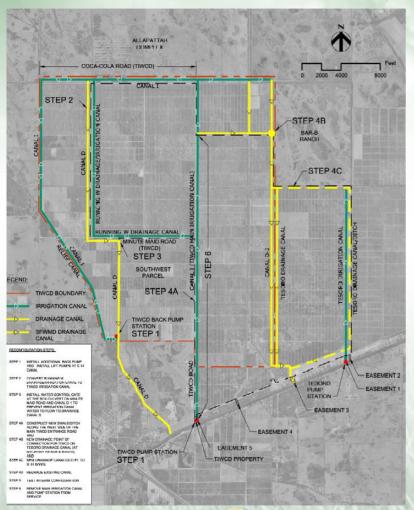
# Citrus Blvd Crossing Western Outlet Canal Facing North STA Cells **Existing Bridge** Citrus Blvd C-44 Canal

# TIWCD Troup Indiantown Water Control District

- TIWCD is a 298 Special Taxing District that Supplies Drainage and Irrigation to its Members
- TIWCD Service Area is 13,500 Acres
- The C-44 Project Encompasses 8,000 Acres of TIWCD's Service Area



## **TIWCD** Reconfiguration

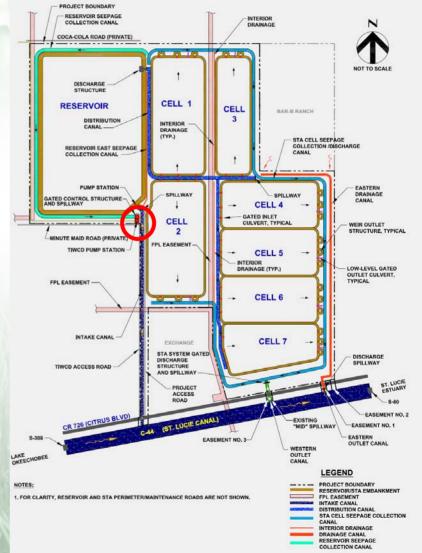


- TIWCD Negotiations
- Additional 36,000 gallons per minute (gpm) Pump
- 30-Day Test Period
- Construction Start October 2006



# New TIWCD Irrigation Pump Station FROJECT BOUNDARY FROM FROM FR

- 3 Pumps
- Capacity of 36,000 gpm
- Head of 15 feet





# Test Cell Program

- 475 Acre Area
- 2 Reservoir Test Cells
  - Each 12.5 Acres (4.65
     Acres Wetted Area Each)
  - 15 ft. Water Depth
- 2 STA Test Cells
  - Each 3 Acres
  - 1.5 ft. Water Depth
- Construction started February 17, 2006
- Substantial Completion June 21, 2006





# Test Cell Program

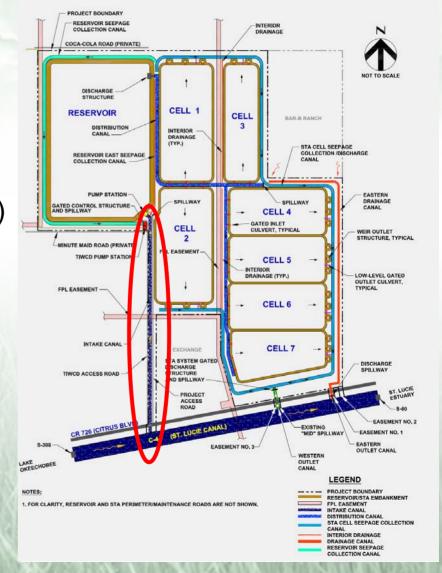
- Tests Cells will be Operated Through June 2007
- Continuous Recording of Water Level Information
  - Surface Water Levels
  - Ground Water Levels
- Environmental Monitoring of STA Test Cells
- Monthly Reports
- Test Cell Analytical Report August 31, 2006

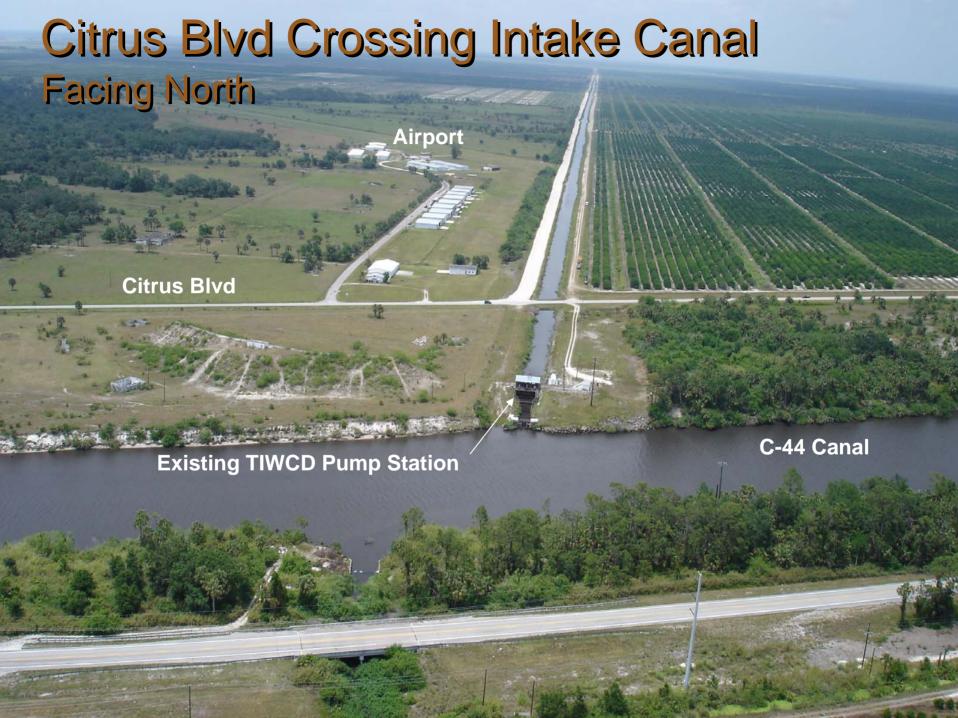




#### Reservoir Intake Canal

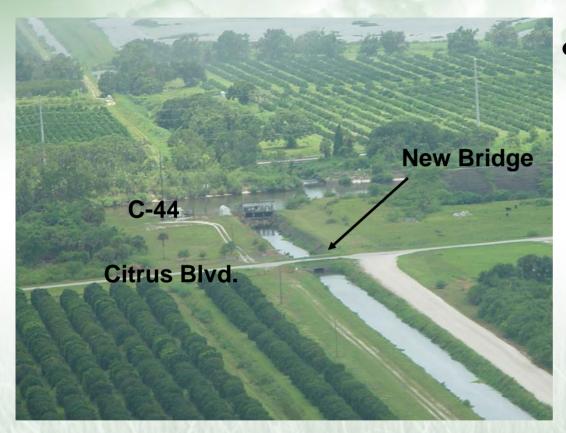
- Expansion of Existing Canal
- Removal of Existing Pump Station
- Canal Length 20,000 Feet
- Bottom Elevation 3 Feet
- Water Surface Elevation Approximately 12.6 Feet (NAVD)
- Bottom Width Approximately 60 Feet
- 2,000,000 Cubic Yards of Excavation
- Access Road 20,000 Feet 24 Feet Wide
- Replace Box Culvert with New Bridge at Citrus Blvd.







### Citrus Boulevard Improvements



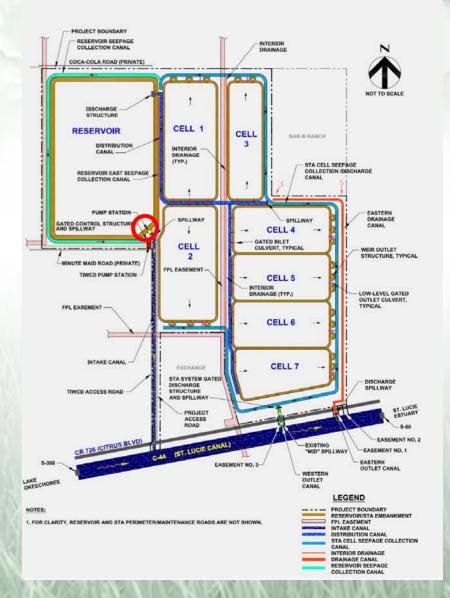
 New Bridge at Intake Canal



## Reservoir Pump Station

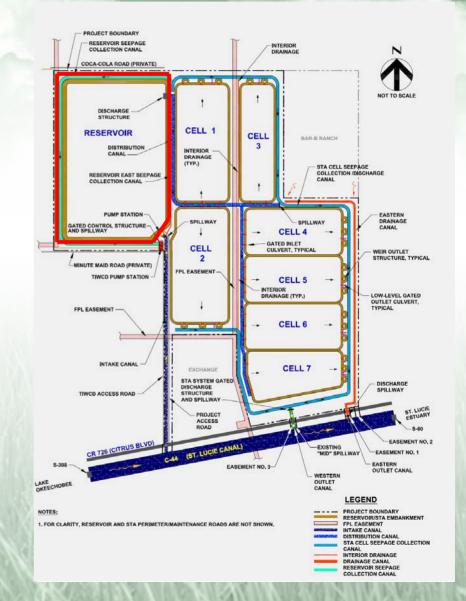
- 4 Pumps
- 1,100 cfs Total Capacity
- Electric Pump Drivers
- TDH = 38 Feet
- 1700 Horsepower Motors





#### Reservoir

- 3,400 Acres
- 48,700 Foot Perimeter
- Crest Width 16 feet
- Embankment Height 29 Feet (15 Foot Water Depth)
- Internal Drain System
- Perimeter Seepage Collection Canal
- Interior Slope Protection with Soil-cement
- 4,000,000 Cubic Yards of Soil for Embankments
- 7,850,000 Square Feet of Sod



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# Southeast Corner of Reservoir Facing North

Reservoir

**STA Cells** 

Reservoir Pump Station

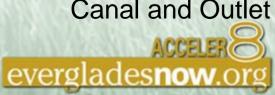
**Minute Maid Road** 

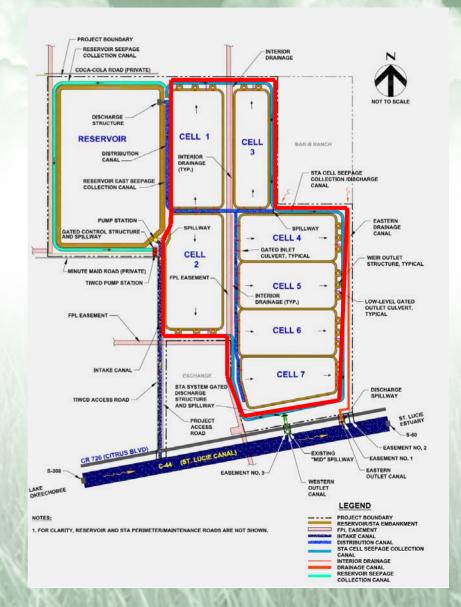
**Construction Site Access Road** 

Intake Canal Time Dirrigation Canal

#### Stormwater Treatment Areas

- 6,300 Acres Total for STA Cells
- 7 STA Cells
- 1.5 Foot Average Water Depth
- Gravity Flow from Reservoir
- Distribution Canals to STAs (41,000 feet)
- 2,261,000 Cubic Yards of Soil for Embankments
- Gated Inlets to STAs
- Fixed Weir Outlets
- Total of 47 Structures for Cells
- Collection Canals from Cells to Western Outlet Canal
- Separate Eastern Drainage Canal and Outlet





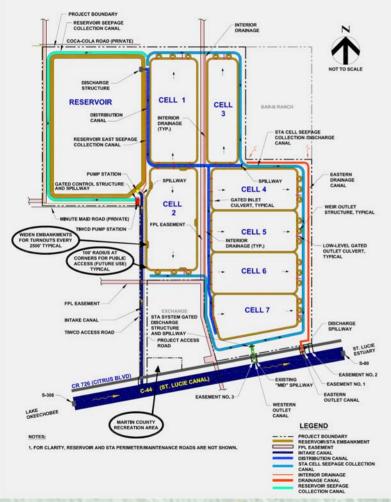
## Citrus Boulevard Improvements



New Box Culvert



# Potential C-44 Project Recreation



- County Park
  - 100 Acres Southwest of STA
- Project Lands
  - Fishing
  - Hiking
  - Bird/Wildlife Watching
  - Boating
  - Biking
  - Equestrian
  - Managed Hunting



## C-44 Project Schedule

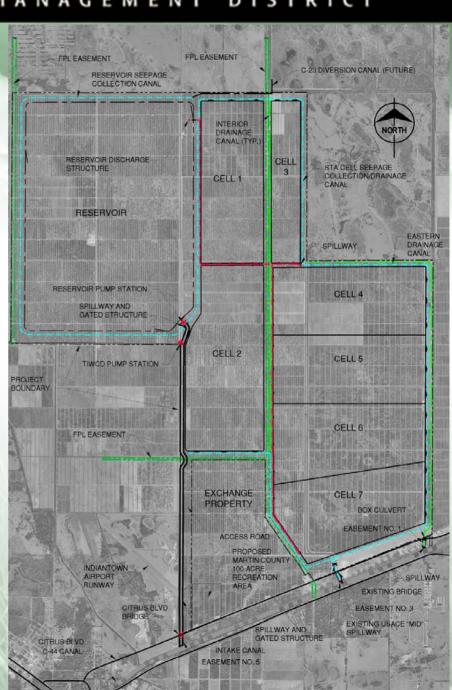
- Basis of Design Report (BODR) Complete April 14, 2006
- Temp. Reconfiguration of TIWCD Bid August 2006
- Technical Review Board August 18, 2006
- Preliminary Design Complete September 13, 2006
- Temp. Reconfiguration of TIWCD Start October 17, 2006
- Final Design & Bid Package Complete March 22, 2007
- Main Construction Bid April 2007
- Main Construction Start June 13, 2007
- Construction Complete December 31, 2009



## C-44 Project Budget

Project Budget (excluding land) \$339,800,000





#### Stakeholders' Comments

- Larger Reservoir
- Local Drainage Issues
- Recreational Opportunities
- Concerns about Sending Water North to C-23
- Safety
- 4-Lane Bridge Over Citrus Boulevard



# C-44 Reservoir/STA Conceptual Project Rendering